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"PATENT APPLICATION"

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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U.S. Serial No.

Filed: January 4, 2005

HIGH RESOLUTION NMR PROBE HEAD
FOR SMALL SAMPLE VOLUMES AND
METHOD FOR OPERATING THE SAME- - - - -
Alexandria, Virginia
January 4, 2005Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The present application is the National phase filing based on International Application No. PCT/DE03/02184 filed July 1, 2003. Prior to action by the Examiner in the captioned application, please amend the application as set forth below.